



## MRS. ECCLESTON SEEKS SEPARATION ON HER CROSS CHARGES

Report That Husband Will Not Press His Own Action.

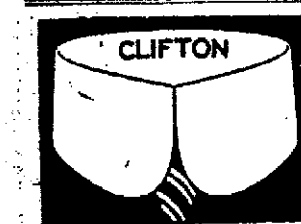
Husband Sues to End Meddling in His Home; Three Divorces.

The divorce case of Louis R. Eccleston against Maud R. Eccleston is set for trial this morning before Judge Chubb. According to reports, Mrs. Eccleston has been brought to court by her attorneys for the purpose of prosecuting her charges. Attorney G. W. Jones for the defendant said that this case will not influence his client, who will appear ready to prosecute her cross-complaint and will be prepared with witnesses to furnish proof in support of her request for divorce on the charge made by her. Mr. Jones stated that an objection will be offered to the plaintiff's dismissal of his complaint, which is in his right, but that his client will insist upon proceeding on her cross-complaint whether plaintiff appears or not, or whether he is represented by counsel or not.

The case was last before the court

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about three weeks ago, when an order was made for the plaintiff to pay the costs of the suit. The order was made until the final determination of the case. This order has been complied with. It will be remembered that there are public rumors of Mrs. Eccleston's purpose of bringing suit for divorce and that she is now in the filing of her complaint. To his complaint she made general and specific denial, following up with a cross-complaint alleging various acts of cruelty and insulting language, also that to harass and annoy her, he caused to be sent to her home town in the past, printed copies of his divorce complaint. She denies specifically the charge intended to impair his credit and business standing.

## PLEADS FOR HIS HOME

An extraordinary suit was the one instituted yesterday by a husband asking the court to stop all interference with his domestic affairs.

The suit is by Louis Najarian and he was set for trial before Judge Chubb. Najarian is a laborer who has been married to Maud Najarian, who is a housewife, for several years. He is now in the city, having been brought to court by her attorneys for the purpose of prosecuting her charges. Najarian is a laborer who has been married to Maud Najarian, who is a housewife, for several years. He is now in the city, having been brought to court by her attorneys for the purpose of prosecuting her charges.

Najarian further says that by the defendant's meddling in his domestic affairs, he has been deprived of the affection and fellowship of his wife and his little daughter of the maternal care that she should have.

Justice Austin disposed in short order yesterday afternoon of three default divorce cases, two of them by husbands.

The first case tried was that of Alvin G. Perry of Coalinga, who was married to Myrtle Perry, whom he married in Madera in November, 1907. The defendant took place in September, 1908 at Vallejo. Perry stated that he had frequently impounded her in various places to return to him, but she always refused. He stated that he had never given her cause to desert him.

It was not until the plaintiff's mother went on the witness stand that it was learned that she also had for two years at various times impounded her daughter to return to her husband, but her answer was emphatic that she would not and her reason was that she no longer loved or cared for him.

It came out also in the evidence that the defendant was a woman who agreed that Mrs. Perry should have the care and custody of the 10 year old boy, Vernon, and he of the 13 year old girl, Gusie, who since the mother's desertion has been either with her aunt or her grandmother.

## NO DRESS IN SEVEN YEARS

Nellie M. Stevens was divorced from Simon P. Stevens because of neglect to provide on account of idleness and profligacy. He was last heard from in San Francisco, 1912, and there are two children, a boy aged 5, and a girl half that age. Besides being a profligate as the young wife and her parents testified, he would absent himself from home for as long as five days out of the week.

Mrs. Stevens testified that during the seven years of married life he had never given her a dress, that he refused her money when the children were sick, that he had been heard from in San Francisco, 1912, and there are two children, a boy aged 5, and a girl half that age. Besides being a profligate as the young wife and her parents testified, he would absent himself from home for as long as five days out of the week.

## MARRIED A FERNAGANT

Lavone Norman of Auberry Valley was divorced from Clara Norman on grounds of cruelty. They have been married twelve years, and Dale Rose, who was the main witness for the little old man stated that nothing saved him from being killed. He and the plaintiff described Mrs. Norman as a virago with a most violent temper and who being "as stout as a mule," as Norman put it, would in her tantrums hurl rocks at him, strike him with her bottle, crutch, club or any handy weapon, besides use language equally as strenuous.

Norman said that she had time and again threatened to kill him and had said she would kill him but for one thing. "I tried often to find out what that one thing was but she would never tell me," he added.

Mr. Rose was emphatic in his declaration that unless there is a separation, old man Norman would be found dead some day. He was also solicitous for advice how best to rid the Auberry valley neighborhood of this termagant.

## OTHER DIVORCE CASES

Corra E. Kimes sued for a divorce from David M. Kimes, a painter living on M street. The ground stated is cruelty. Before the filing of the complaint yesterday a deed was recorded by her attorney by her and husband evidencing the sale of property on San Benito street near N. Execution was returned yesterday unsatisfied by the sheriff in the case of Zella Epps against William Epps in which divorce was granted in January last, with \$85.50 due then and \$25 a month thereafter. There is due now \$112.50 with 7 per cent interest on the alimony allowance.

## CHARGES MADE AGAINST POLICEMAN GOEHRING WITHDRAWN

Watchman Ragsdale Says Police Give Protection to Gambling.

Demand Being Made for the Proofs, He Says He Is Not Ready.

Prosecution of the charge against Policeman Goehring of the Chinatown detail before the police commission was abandoned last evening by Attorney W. D. Crichton in behalf of the police. The complaint, which was filed last month, was withdrawn by Crichton after he had been told by the police that they would not run a gambling house, but had rented houses for that purpose in the past.

Minor Rowell then took Ragsdale in hand and put him through a minute examination to ascertain his relations as a watchman with the Chinese. Ragsdale declared that he does not now run a gambling house, but has rented houses for that purpose in the past.

Major Rowell asked Ragsdale whether in his capacity as a watchman he would consider himself obligated under his employment to give warning to one of his Chinese employers of an impending police raid.

"I would be foolish not to do so and it is only human nature, I would consider it my duty to do so as a watchman," was the candid answer that created general surprise because so unexpected.

Ragsdale explained, however, that he never knows when raids are taking place and has made it a practice never to interfere with gambling raids.

Minor Rowell warned Ragsdale that in watching the interests of the gamblers, as he had acknowledged in his reply, he is working in detriment against the city government and the police administration, and not playing the part of a good citizen.

Ragsdale insisted in reply to this that he has never watched or spied the police between whom and him there is the best of feeling and that he has always stood aloof from the gambling business.

Further in explanation of his position in Chinatown, Ragsdale declared that there is a movement to supplant him as watchman and to put in his place one who would give the gamblers "full play," to employ the term that he used.

Major Rowell went on Ragsdale again to demand what he meant by this?

"I mean that they will have better protection from the police than I can ever give them," said Ragsdale. "Can you prove this?" insisted the mayor.

"I must be patent to every one that has sense enough," asserted Ragsdale.

The mayor stated that he would hold Ragsdale personally responsible for this assertion to substantiate it, and invited him and all others to furnish the proofs, declaring his disbelief that the police is engaged in the protection of vice.

Major Rowell pressed Ragsdale for proofs of his assertion of police protection of vice, and so hard that Ragsdale began to hedge, pleading that he was "serving under mental excitement" and perhaps said more than he should have, asked for permission to consult an attorney before replying to any more questions and declaring that the board, surrounded by lawyers, is taking advantage of him.

Chief Shaw asked Ragsdale whether he meant to say that he (Shaw) was protecting vice and gambling? "I decline to answer," said Ragsdale, "and anyhow I don't charge the whole force."

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City Attorney Kauke, who was present as the advisor of the board, emphasized the fact that the abandonment of any understanding as to any promise by the policeman, or any change of tactics in the effort to suppress gambling in Chinatown.

Mr. Crichton remarked as a parting shot that a promise would probably have no legal effect anyhow.

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Ragsdale also denied the assertion made by Chief Shaw that he (Ragsdale) was responsible for the bringing of the Goehring accusation. He declared that he had never been consulted in the matter, had never advised it and in his only connection with the affair was at the request of Fong Kee to ask Goehring whether he had a warrant when he entered Kee's room. Goehring said he had and when asked to produce it declared it was at the city jail.

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# News of Central California

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**OF VETERANS**

**S. F. Merchants' Visit, Old Soldiers and Politics Promise Big Doings.**

**Rev. and Mrs. McConnell Given Handsome Gifts on Departure.**

SELMA, Oct. 13.—Selma is taking on a festive air in anticipation of the annual gathering of the San Joaquin Valley Veterans Association which is to convene here on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Arrangements for entertainment which have been made by the local committee insure a most interesting encampment, while reports indicate that the attendance will exceed any former gathering of the association. The valley will be well represented and word has been received announcing the coming of veterans from as far as San Francisco in the north and Los Angeles in the south.

The veterans are decorating the streets with flags, while business houses are being trimmed in the colors of the nation in as much profusion as generally witnessed on Fourth of July.

Political gatherings, important church meetings, and the visit of the San Francisco Merchants' Association will go to make the coming week a busy one in addition to the veterans' gathering.

The merchants' association is scheduled to arrive here at 2:45 Tuesday afternoon, and their train will be here two hours, while the members of the party are meeting the local merchants. Further than an informal reception at the train there will be no program of entertainment, as the officers stated that they wished to have the full time for visits with their customers.

Republican politics will be the cause of political rallies on Saturday night for this week, and on Friday night the first time will be addressed by candidates for the assembly and senate, while the later meeting will be addressed principally by J. C. Neidham, candidate for Congress from this district.

The church activities begin tomorrow night, when a mass meeting will be held at the Presbyterian church to arrange for a series of Dan Shannon tabernacle meetings to be held here soon. Arrangements will probably be made to hold the meetings in the pavilion.

On Tuesday evening the members of the First Methodist church gave a farewell reception to Rev. and Mrs. S. J. McConnell in the Sunday school room at the church.

During their five years' stay in Selma Mr. and Mrs. McConnell have endeavored themselves to a very wide circle of friends and their leaving will be a matter of sincere regret to them all.

The evening was spent with an informal program and reminiscences. As tokens of remembrance Mrs. McConnell was given a beautiful diamond ring by her fellow workers in the Ladies' Auxiliary, while Rev. McConnell was presented with a beautiful leather chair, which Mrs. McConnell will leave for her little daughter, will leave for Hanford.

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## HORTICULTURAL DEPUTY EXPLOSION KILLS MAN; SAYS SCALE MENACE COMPANION BADLY INJURED

**AT TULARE FAIR**

**Fowler Asserts Valley in Danger Through Show; Denied by Schulz.**

**Tule Indians May Dispose of Stock at Will, Says Department Head.**

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 13.—A sensational explosion which was caused by a horticultural deputy at Tulare, to the effect that the presence of black scale at the county seat would be a menace to the exhibition from this and other cities of the citrus belt and that there was grave danger in sending fruit to and from the county seat, that the entire citrus country would become infected.

Commissioner Schulz, of this county, immediately took issue with his subordinate and says there is little foundation in fact for the assertions of Fowler. The scale situation is well in hand in Visalia and when the present fumigation is completed, there will be nothing to fear as far as a transmission of the pest is concerned.

After numerous indignation meetings had been held and after the Tule Indians had been brought up to a high pitch by a recent order promulgated from the interior department, setting forth numerous stringent regulations with regard to the cattle and the marketing of the same, it has been found that the regulation does not apply to the Tule reserve.

Agent Edmundson, who transmitted to his superiors in Washington the protest against the recent orders, was advised this morning that the order was meant to apply only to a certain number of the Indian reserves in the Middle West and Northwest.

In this order it was stated that after a certain date, no Indians were to be allowed to sell cattle in less than a number of the Indian reserves in the Middle West and Northwest.

William McKee, national lecturer of the Socialist party, addressed the voters of this vicinity this morning from a large tent at the corner of Cleveland and Main streets, the tent having been used for a series of evangelistic meetings during the past two weeks.

St. John Wilson, the candidate of the party for governor, was to have been here today, but was called home through a death in his family. Two hundred were present.

Residents of the North Side today made a very decided protest to the board of education in regard to the sanitary arrangements at the Morton school, the complaint being that the building was in a filthy condition and that the school building was being spread over a considerable area just to the north of the building.

In order to alleviate conditions, the board has asked the city council that the work of laying the sewer extension at the school building, be begun at once and that the present conditions be a constant menace to health.

James Drury, aged 34 years, died this morning very suddenly at his home on Mill street, of a heart ailment, after a long illness.

Deceased came here from Santa Barbara but ten days ago, and was living with two acquaintances, J. W. Macdonald and A. Edmundson, who are residents of Santa Barbara. This morning he complained of feeling much worse than usual and when one of the other occupants of the house went to telephone for a physician, the aged man fell from his chair to the floor and died.

A. D. Martin, a son-in-law, recently purchased a large ranch in the Lynn's Valley section.

Today there was returned from Bakerville the defendant recently issued for John Doe Thomas, the traveling salesman, who was accused by the game wardens here of having shot does and deer out of season. The returns made on the warrant by the Bakerville constable are somewhat out of the ordinary, according to the local officials.

No attempt was made, it is said, to learn Thomas true name and from the letter which accompanied the return of the document, it appears that the warrant was merely read to the accused and he was then allowed to go his way unmolested.

Local game wardens who are interested in the case, will have Thomas brought here and his trial will be set at once.

Work will be started Monday on the extension to the sewer system and it is predicted that if weather conditions are favorable, the work will be completed in ninety days.

About sixty men will be put to work, and preference will be given to local labor.

Rains of the past two days have seriously interfered with the paving work through the East Side residence districts and with the streets in a badly torn-up condition. A trip home from the business district is one long wade through sticky adobe.

All the material and implements for laying the asphalt concrete have arrived here, however, and there need be no excuse for further delay when the streets are again dried out.

**Belated Discharge Hurts Men in Air; Jury Says Carelessness.**

## BELL KEEPS SOFT PEDAL ON S. P. DOMINATION THIS CAMPAIGN

**Strident Denunciation Gives Way to Talk of "Square Deal."**

**Johnson Characterizes This Course as Plain Case of Hedging.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—More striking than anything else in the present political struggle for control of the government of the state is the attitude adopted by Theodore A. Bell, Democratic candidate for governor, toward the dominant issue of breaking the political power of the Southern Pacific and William F. Herrin. More forceful than anything else in the campaign has been the manner in which William F. Herrin, Republican candidate for governor, has betwixt the inconsistency existing between his opponent's present stand and that which he took four years ago. Says Johnson:

"In the past, we have heard our Democratic friends indulge in the wildest denunciation of William F. Herrin and the Southern Pacific political bureau. We have heard them demand the extinction of these influences in strident tones. Today we hear them prate of the 'square deal' which they intend to accord to the Southern Pacific and not yet has the name of this distinguished patriot, Herrin, escaped their lips. No word do they utter to hurt the fine sensibilities and nice characteristics always displayed by that noble citizen in the manipulation of this government for the benefit of his corporation."

"What their motives are I do not know, but without hesitation I assert that when you see a man so modify his stand as they have done, and pay particular attention to according to the powerful 'square deal' he is hedging."

"If the Democrats will stand steadily for the political freedom of this government and shall not be lured away by the desire for office, we will accord them their full need of praise and ask for them the same consideration we ask for ourselves. But if they are swayed from the great purpose of returning to the people to whom it belongs they are entitled neither to your confidence nor to your support."

From the California Weekly: Up in the mountains of Madera county, where men live apart and wrestle with big trees and rocky lands to make their living, a farmer who thinks for himself, as most of them do, was heard this week to say: "This precinct usually casts about 50 Republican and 100 Democratic votes, for a lot of us came from Arkansas and new cutters are thick with the Democrats. Four years ago twenty of our Republicans voted for Bell, there was nothing else for them to do, you see. This time Johnson will get the full Republican vote and anyhow twenty of the Democrats will vote for him too. I have never seen Johnson, but they have come to believe in him you know. Johnson can get bigger reform results than Bell can. The way things are in this state, for the legislature can't help being if forty Democrats in our precinct voted for Johnson for this reason."

There is no reason in the nature of things why sentiment in that particular community should differ from sentiment in other communities throughout the state. However, the state will go overwhelmingly for Johnson. In the cities there is an element that loves not Bell but hates Johnson heartily for the aggressive campaign he has made. It is not quite just to Bell to say that the defeat of Johnson would be a Southern Pacific victory. The most the Southern Pacific would gain would be a deadlock between a Democratic governor and a Republican legislature, but it would be a mighty satisfaction to the same to Herrin and Herrinism and it would be a severe blow to progressive Republicanism the country over. Therefore the defeat of Johnson must not happen. Even the Democrats cannot afford to have it happen.

**HAZING CASE COMPLETED.**  
ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 13.—The board of officers, appointed by Superintendent Bowyer of the Naval Academy to investigate alleged hazing of fourth classmen by upper classmen last week, has completed its work and handed its findings to Captain Bowyer. The accused midshipmen are J. W. Anderson of Washington state; W. H. O'Brien of Ohio; Jennifer Garnette of Virginia; and Howard Wade of Ohio, all members of the first class.

What recommendations Superintendent Bowyer will make to the Navy Department are not known.

**R. R. COMMISSION WILL MEET HERE**  
The State Railroad Commission announced today it will meet in Fresno on Friday, the 21st inst., to hear complaints of shippers and requests for reduction of rates. The meeting will be held in the court house at 10 a. m.

The Republican and Democratic candidates will cast lots for it. In the Fresno township, A. G. Smith will probably be the prohibition nominee, then go to the man who tied with him. The one undecided thing is when shall the drawing take place?

People of open mind having Diabetes or having friends who have, can hear of something to their advantage if they will call helpful diet list free. Patterson Block Pharmacy.

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A yellow dog blown to the four corners of a ten acre lot by the explosion of a keg of dynamite has as much chance of being restored to life as the hair root that has been killed by dandruff germs.

Dear reader, look out for dandruff. If you have it the cause is dandruff germs, and dandruff germs are responsible for itching scalp, falling hair, thinning hair and finally baldness.

That's why any preparation for preserving and beautifying the hair must first of all have power to destroy the dandruff germs.

PARISIAN SAGE soaks into the scalp, penetrates into the hair root where germs thrive, kills them promptly and furnishes nature's nourishment to the weak and ailing hair roots.

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Women who desire lustrous and fastidious hair should use Parisian Sage regularly. A large bottle costs but 50 cents at the San Joaquin Drug Co. and druggists everywhere. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid, by Glouxx Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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## WEATHER CONDITIONS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—Forecast:  
San Joaquin valley clearing Friday;  
warmer, light north winds.

## GENERAL CONDITIONS

During the last 24 hours light showers have continued on the Pacific coast from San Francisco northward, also over Nevada and the interior valleys of California. High barometric pressure now covers the coast states and clear skies prevail about the California coast from San Francisco south. A broad area of low barometric pressure covers the Rocky mountains and plains states with high pressure prevails from the Mississippi eastward. Generally fair weather has prevailed from the Rockies to the Atlantic except that some showers have fallen in portions of the lower Mississippi valley. A 24 hour fall of 1.06 inches is reported from Silverport, La.

Rising barometric pressure on the Pacific coast will result in clear, fine weather in Fresno and vicinity this afternoon followed by fair tonight. Friday will be fair and warmer.

W. E. BONNETT, Local Forecaster.

Observations taken at 5 p. m. yesterday:

All temperatures.....54

Highest temperature yesterday.....52

Lowest temperature yesterday.....42

Humidity (percentage) of.....81

Wind (direction and force).....S. 1-15

Today's rainfall.....0.00

Humidity Sept. 1st to date.....1.15

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# SOCIETY

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Two scenes from Carmen have also been arranged. The first being the card scene with Miss Zou, Glasgow as Carmen, Mrs. Ralph Powell as Micaela, Mrs. Milton M. Diering as Escarillo, Mrs. Schubert as Mercedes, Mr. Battison as Don Jose and Mr. Olsen as Zuniga.

Miss Sprague will be at the piano. The program will be augmented by a chorus of young ladies and gentlemen.

The Parlor Lecture Club has yesterday afternoon addressed by one of the strongest speakers it has ever had its pleasure to listen to, Dr. Kurtz of the University of California.

His topic under discussion was "Evolution of Fate," as had previously been announced. He began with the growth of superstition in the ignorant mind and then in the more cultivated mind also.

Economic conditions were brought before the club with a balance which left no doubt as to existing conditions. He showed the life in the tenement districts of New York City most vividly and dwelt on the wretchedness of the inhabitants. The standard of living and immorality is not properly fixed, he thinks. Environment has much to do with it and economic conditions are to blame for much of the wickedness of today.

However, efforts are being made to improve matters, the tenement laws and light in each room, helping somewhat. The income tax, a plan made by some of the large city store managers, whereby a certain per cent of the salary is retained to pay for lunches and rooming, etc., was referred to as certainly worthy of high recommendation.

At the club rooms on I street, last evening, the Young Women's Christian Association enjoyed the first of a series of entertainment given under the direction of Miss Ursula Chartrand. These evenings will occur every alternate Thursday, each having an

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A social hour will be observed during which refreshments will be served. Tonight the gymnasium classes will meet for regular work.

The class in Christmas work, under the direction of Miss Bynon, supervisor of art in the public schools, is also called at the same time.

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After a number of progressions at the card tables, delicious refreshments were served.

With the auditorium profusely and tastefully decorated and about 150 guests present, Ivan H. Schramm of San Francisco and Miss Mabel Dudley Skelton, a well known and popular actress, were married at the Auditorium, corner of O and Mariposa streets, Wednesday evening, Oct. 13. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Dunan Wallace, who officiated at the ceremony. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Thompson. A brother of the bride and Miss Edith Towle acted as the attendants.

After the ceremony, the wedding party and a large number of guests assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Hawkins, 2403 White avenue, and a delightful supper was served. The young couple left on the early morning train for San Francisco, from where they will go on a trip to Cascade, Montana, the home of the groom's parents. They will live in San Francisco.

**METHODIST PASTOR LEAVES FOR SOUTH**

Rev. Charles Coke Woods, for three years pastor of the First Methodist church in Fresno, has left to take up his abode at Whittier in accordance with the recent appointments by Bishop Hughes of San Francisco.

Mrs. Woods, and his three sons, E. M., William G. and Robert M. E. Woods, will leave in a few days for the South. Ed Woods, who has for the last two years attended the University of Wisconsin (Kane), has been chosen the law school of the University of Southern California in Los Angeles.

**NORTH SIDE REVIVAL GAINING IN INTEREST**

Rev. Beall to Speak on Early Church History This Evening.

The revival services being held by the North Side Christian church members are rapidly gaining in interest. Wednesday night, Oct. 13, was a most successful one. The speaker, Rev. J. N. Kehney, who are leaving for their new home in Stockton.

The ladies, noted for their cleverness in original work, fashioned some unique cards of invitation. A mixed program was interspersed during the evening hours and added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion.

Mrs. Fulton G. Berry has returned to Fresno and is stopping at the Fulton. She has as her guests, her daughter, Miss Lillian Berli Moulton, and her granddaughter, Miss Bertha Fisher.

George K. Anderson, the popular bachelor from Coalinga, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Paxton Beveridge, at Eggers Vineyard.

An interesting engagement announced is that of William Stranahan, and Miss Gertrude Alma Sigwald. Mr. Stranahan is the manager of the Coalinga Water and Electric Company and is well known in Fresno, and Miss Sigwald is the daughter of Charles Sigwald, a retired merchant of San Francisco. The groom-elect leaves for San Francisco today and the wedding will take place on Monday. After the honeymoon spent in Los Angeles and other southern points, the young couple will make their home in Coalinga.

The Akorion Class of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. H. E. Wilkinson at her home, 255 Northcamp avenue, this evening. The business session will be followed by a short social hour.

Miss Jessie Adams will leave in a few days for Missouri, where she will spend the winter with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Frederick will entertain the members of the Akorion Class of the First Baptist church this afternoon.

Miss Ina Haven will leave on a prolonged visit to the East, where friends and relatives are holding a welcome for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascoe are planning a trip through Southern California. They expect to be entertained in several of the cities, where friends await them.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gulnaw gave an informal card party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Katherine Gulnaw who is visiting them for a few weeks. Miss Gulnaw now resides in Burlingame and is prominent in the younger set there. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Morgan, and Mrs. R. A. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Shinkle.

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# FOR LOVERS OF GOOD FICTION

## CHANGING MINDS A Love Story By C. EDWARDES

"CARISSMA—How does my Eve today? And how is my own heart, if you please, for it is in your keeping, sweet, and I don't know a thing about it except that I'm very well aware of the loss of it? I wish I had somebody else to fill the void—wish I were certain about it, I mean, but I'm most horribly not certain even yet. Behold, I have a bit. It's partly because I took a trilateral last night and slept a sleep of profundity ending in a haze. I don't see things clearly through the haze, and I gape and gape and gape. But how is my little Eve? That's everything to me—that and the wonder of her eyes, her sweet kiddy ways and her laughter at everything and nothing, when she is in the mood, but she isn't always, is she? Lucky little maid, to be able to laugh at nothing even sometimes. There are folks who can cry at nothing—so I've heard—because the tears in them are all dried up. Mercy be good to us, what a time they must have had, poor things, mustn't they?"

"Sister Anne comes to pick a bone with me at 1 p. m. precisely. She's sent a five cornered note to say so. What do you think of that? There's going to be a campaign over the chops and cheese. The battles of ancient Philistines or Amorites (or were they Ammonites—hanged if I know), they won't be in it in comparison with this forthcoming affray over my chops and cheese. I who write to you declare it, Eve. And each of us is going to fight to the death for the good of one, though not the same one. Hey did diddle! The Lord defend the right. I can't raise it higher than that. And I can't write another line because I'm rather duffed by that cursed trilateral which gave me so blessed a slumber last night and so confuses my intelligence this morning. I send you some tulips and beg the favor of a reply to the great question, How is my Eve? And how is my own heart? Your

"RUPERT."

The Hon. Rupert Whilden's man John carried this across the eight miles of forest and seaboard which separated his master in rural retirement from his master's heart's joy and keeper and in little over the hour brought back a reply.

"Dear Mr. Whilden—How lovely of you to send me such lovely flowers! I am really better this morning—really and truly better. The pain has gone from my chest. I am so glad you have had a good night at last. You are not to worry about me. I'm not worth it. I lie awake at night and wonder what you can see in me to make you so fond of me. Am I really so pretty in your eyes? I love to think so, but—I must not continue to think so, for I am going to tell you something very important. You are not to let me come between you and your sister any longer. I do love you, dear—I can't help saying so—but your sister is so proud, and so proud of you, and it makes me shiver to remember my terrible visit to her last Monday. I understand what you mean about you and Lady Anne both fighting for the good of one, but not the same one. Don't they say Love is blind? But perhaps he isn't always, for I think I never loved you so much as I do now, and yet I can see things as they ought to be and must. Lady Anne is right about my being only an infatuation that will pass, but it serves me right, for I ought to have known better from the beginning, as Lady Anne said, and not allow myself to love you. But I couldn't help it—I truly couldn't. I'm afraid I'm very weak at resisting temptations. But I'm keeping your servant waiting, and so goodbye, from your true and more sensible little friend,

EVE MULGRAVE.

"P. S.—I return your heart as I ought."

Rupert Whilden had not sworn once since coming to Badside Hole, but this time he uttered two tremendous words as he reached the end of Eve's letter, and when he came to the postscript he said "Damnation!"

He was upon a sofa in the window recess of the Badside Hole morning room. A hunting spill and a sprain had fastened him there.

He was a long figure on the sofa, a crimson vest with amber buttons perhaps the most striking detail of him, after his nose, which was masterful; his dark eyes, which were now likewise, and his chin, which was as square as a chin well can be. He was neither old nor young, and yet he didn't look middle aged. He dropped the letter when he came to the postscript and lay in an open eyed trance, and he was still thus lying when his man John entered with a tumbler and a great respect for his master's tranquillity.

"Ah!" he exclaimed; then, rousing himself, "Tell me, did you see Miss Mulgrave?"

"Yes, sir; Mr. Mulgrave was good enough to ask me into the cottage."

"And you waited there while she wrote it?" The words "Lucky brute!" were in his eyes, if not upon his tongue.

"Yes, sir," replied Man John, as if apologetically.

"Er—did she appear to be pretty well?"

Man John twitched—it was his way of suppressing unseemly surprise. He was not used to his master's voice in that quiet, almost wistful key.

"Not very, sir, I think. She was like as if she'd been crying, but perhaps it was only the sun in her eyes, sir. It's a beautiful warm morning for March."

"Is it? Is it? That'll do. Tell them to get a first class lunch today. Lady Anne will bring her golf appetite with her, no doubt. And just give me my writing pad. I may want you to run over to Badside Hole again. Come back in half an hour."

"Very good, sir," said Man John. He supplied the writing pad and told to do more, but no more was immediately required of him. Then Rupert returned to Eve Mulgrave's letter and frowned fiercely over it, and when he came to that postscript about his heart he crimsoned as if—ridiculous—the heart she had sent with the letter were only now reinstating itself in its old quarters.

And then he lay on his back and frowned at the ceiling in a new kind of trance, and he was still thus frowning when Man John reappeared. It was not so much a frown of irritation as of firm determination now.

"What's the matter?" he demanded loudly. Man John knew that tone very well and sometimes had painful cause to remember it.

"I beg pardon, sir; I thought"—he stammered.

But his master spared him the effort of finishing.

"Ah," he said, "I've changed my mind. And, by the way, tell them that Lady Anne likes rucks instead of bread."

The quality of his nod of dismissal made Man John turn briskly on his heels. It was like old times to see. And in those old times the Hon. Rupert Whilden often spoke as well as looked hurtfully.

Alone again, Rupert shut his eyes, his waistcoat swelled as before, and the words whispered in him, "The old girl may be right after all!"

Lady Anne Whilden came in like a gust, cried "Hello!" from the doorway, kissed the invalid, sat down on the sofa and stretched her feet contentedly after.

They contemplated each other—the invalid with a cigarette and the lady with her hands on her crossed covered knees.

"Has that creature gone, as she promised?" asked Lady Anne abruptly. She had some silver hair, which she wore short; two cold blue eyes and a chin and mouth as strong as her brother's.

"What creature do you mean?" asked her brother, controlling himself.

"You know perfectly well whom I mean," said the Lady Anne.

"I don't know who has left Badside Hole. No doubt at all." And Lady Anne covered.

"Ah!" said her brother, marking the sheer. "You are wrong. Miss Mulgrave has not left Badside Hole."

"Then she soon will," exclaimed the Lady Anne, with a steely glitter in her eyes. "You have my word for that. I possess the most absolute proof that she is nothing better than a common thief. I shall go straight to her after I'm fed, and—Yes, you may stare, Rupert. I shall."

The invalid looked his sister up and down, and a smile came to his lips.

"A—thief?" he said.

"Yes. The oval ring of diamonds and emeralds which belonged to our mother—that's what she's taken. I trust Hamilton as I would you, Rupert, and she has formed the same opinion. I was wearing it just before that Miss Mulgrave called upon me."

"You invited her to call upon you, Anne, I understand?"

"Yes, of course. I remember taking it off and putting it down somewhere. Then I went upstairs, and Hamilton came to tell me she was there. You know what a memory I have—it's the family failing, isn't it? Until last night I didn't give it another thought. Then we hunted everywhere, and Hamilton and I agree that she must have taken it."

"Must?" suggested the invalid, not exactly smiling.

"Why, naturally. A low chorus girl out of a theater! What do they know of morality, any of them? They're born to exploit men and things, without a care about any one except themselves, aren't they? She's just like the rest, her baby face and all."

Rupert's head seemed to sway acquiescingly.

The Lady Anne freshened and transferred a hand from her kneecap to her brother's shoulder.

"I'm so glad you're becoming yourself again at last, Rupert," she said warmly.

But the invalid's shoulder fidgeted under her grip, and his remoter hand crushed Eve Mulgrave's letter, which had lain by him on the sofa. "Myself again, am I?" he murmured. And then a diversion occurred, and neither Eve nor the ring nor the invalid's recovery of his earlier self was mentioned again for many minutes.

The luncheon table was wheeled up to the sofa, the Lady Anne skinned off her gloves, and the soup was served.

"Ground's grand again after the rain," she said with her first spoonful. She spoke as if she loved the letter "g."

"That's well," said the invalid, "and"—appealing to the servant—"where are those rucks I spoke about?"

They had been forgotten.

"How dear and extraordinary of you to remember my little fads!" declared Lady Anne.

"Not at all; not at all. And so you had a nice morning?"

"Delicious! I wouldn't have knocked off for any one but you, Rupert. I feel as if I can go on forever when I'm in today's form."

"Ah!" the invalid's eyebrows rose. "As fit as that, are you? Good woman!"

"Ha, ha!" chuckled the Lady Anne.

"Yes, and you look your 'Ha, ha' too—and that's a queer thing from a man's point of view."

The Lady Anne fixed him with her eyes.

"What do you mean?" she asked, seeming suspicious of something.

But the rucks and the maid intervened, and the invalid did not tell his sister what he meant.

The Lady Anne's appetite was great. She confessed it laughingly and said she didn't propose to stint it. And when the meal was over and the table was drawn away she asked for a cigarette and lit it and blew a cloud of cerulean smoke and leaned back and again stretched out her nether limbs as if she wished to show even her brother what small feet she had and how handsomely lemon colored golf shoes became them.

"To return to our mutinous, my dear Rupert," she said, watching her smoke thin to nothingness.

The invalid lay propped at his ease, with his arms folded. He had said very little indeed during the repast and eaten little.

"Aren't you smoking?" asked his sister.

He wasn't even looking at her until she spoke. Then he turned to her and loosed his thunder at her.

"Anne," he said calmly. "I do think you're one of the worst specimens that was ever born into this world of bad 'uns."

It startled her.

"What's that?" she gasped, dropping her cigarette and catching it in midair with real smartness.

"Almost a friend, Anne. That ring business is a plant. Do you think I can't see through it? You and your maid want boiling—that is, if she's in it with you, which I can't think. She can't be as rotten as you. And see here, now, if you dare to go to Eve with such a rotten accusation!" He slipped his injured leg to the floor and seemed unconscious of the shock. His eyes blazed at his sister, and hers blazed back at him. "You're a vile cat, Anne, that's what you are! Be hanged to you! And this game of shoving spokes in a wheel hasn't worked, I give you my word. There was a chance just before you came, but you've muffed it—abso-lutely. I don't know what you said to her on Monday when she was good enough—I mean that, really good enough—to cross your threshold. As it happens now, I don't care either. But read this and judge for yourself. She could teach you a lot, Anne, and will some day—you'll see."

He diffused Eve's letter to his sister's lap, restored his leg to the sofa and faced the window.

The Lady Anne didn't seem eager about the letter. Her complexion had patches of red-purple in its brown. She muttered, "Upon my word!" twice, accenting "upon" the first time and "my" the second.

"I wouldn't be such a woman as you for all the world could offer me," said the invalid softly, with his back toward her. He

spoke as if for the instruction of the window panes or the budding shrubs beyond.

"Thank you!" the Lady Anne snapped, and her fingers simultaneously snapped at the letter.

Silence ruled while she read. Rupert on the sofa looked past the Badside Hole shrubs—far past them. A soothing vision of Eve was plain to him in the bluish haze of the country Badside Hole way. He could see her eyes with those tears in them at which Man John had hinted. More still, he could see her heart. It was the one thing in human nature he knew that he knew.

Still held by his vision of her, he broke the silence.

"I shall marry her as soon as we're both fit," he murmured. But it was the Lady Anne's turn now. She jeered to begin with and then broke out dryly:

"She'll not give you the chance, my dear. I would bet a small fortune she'll be back in town tomorrow with my ring. That's the meaning of this hypocritical rot. She'll swear she never saw it till she's black in the face, and what can I say to that? Smug as she is, she'd Billingsgate me dumb in argument for value received—that's a sure thing. Well, so be it!" The Lady Anne rose, shrugged, shook her skirts like a damp retriever and laughed a sportswoman's laugh. "If she's content with a ring worth £100 and leaves you to your senses I'll pocket my loss and thank her."

Making a ball of Eve Mulgrave's letter, she tossed it into the fire.

"I'll be off and tell her so if she's there," she added.

The invalid rolled round and said, "Wait a bit!"

"Not a second," she cried.

"Yes," said he. "A good many seconds, Anne. You've got to eat your dust first, my lady, here and now. I marry Eve Mulgrave as soon as it can be managed—that I swear to you. You've made it certain, my dear. I think you know me as well as most folks, and when I say I've done with you from this moment unless you take back that accusation you know what to expect. Don't be such a cad, Anne. And when you've apologized to me be off and apologize to Eve. You make me sick."

Lady Anne received his volley with the air of a good fighter.

"Scarcely," she said. "You were never more out of it, Rupert, if you think me capable of that."

And then there was silence again, while their eyes carried on the duel. The invalid's smile with his gaze fascinated the Lady Anne strangely. She ought to have stormed at him, but said nothing more. And when some one knocked and the door opened and the servant spoke words in which "her ladyship's maid, sir," drifted to her ears, even then she didn't feel interested until her brother also had spoken and Hamilton entered and began to explain himself.

"I thought I ought to come at once. It was in the silver ink pot on the French table in the drawing room. I emptied the ink pot to clean it, and I put on my things at once. I hoped I might catch your ladyship before you left Badside Hole."



"I'll be off and tell her so if she's there," she added.

Lady Anne's palm received her maid's offering of the precious and fateful ring, but it was the invalid on the sofa, not her mistress, who thanked the maid for her zeal in good works.

"Very kind of you," he said quietly.

The maid said "Not at all, sir," and withdrew. She looked at her mistress, but her mistress was engaged with the fire. And when she shut the door after her the Lady Anne was still looking at the fire, with the ring of evidence almost crushed in her hand.

More moments of silence passed. The invalid on the sofa watched his sister with an unrumpled brow and an expression that grew more and more merciful. At length he laughed softly.

"You always were a rum 'un, Anne," he said, "but the ink pot'll take some beating."

The Lady Anne turned and approached the sofa blinkingly.

"You don't believe now that I meant to—?" she whispered, with staring eyes. She couldn't go on. A gurgle stopped her.

"Goodness me, no!" said he. "Nor any one else in his senses, my dear. These trifles do play the mischief with me the next day. That's all right, Anne. I'm as sorry as can be. But we understand each other, I hope. Ring for coffee or something. I'm just simply glad you've got it again. You'll be wanting to go on with your golf, though."

"No," said the Lady Anne sharply, "I shan't." Her complexion was horribly mottled, but there was a handsome light in her strong eyes. "Do you know what I'm going to do?"

"Couldn't guess?"

"No?" The Lady Anne stooped and rushed a kiss at the invalid's forehead. "Well, then, I shan't tell you till it's done. Goodbye."

She rushed from the room as she had rushed that kiss. But she returned in about a minute and told him after all.

"I'm going to Badside Hole, Rupert," she said fiercely. "She is a good little thing. That's how she impressed me, and I was a bit to say anything to the contrary. Whether she's good enough for you is quite beside the point, I suppose, seeing you've made up your mind. It's something in these days to find one that's good. There! Will that satisfy you?"

But she didn't wait for his reply. She had eaten her dust and couldn't start digesting it even before him. She digested it on the journey and afterward, and the memory of circumstances was such that she didn't find it nearly so painful a process as she was prepared for.

But when she returned to Badside Hole, flushed by the wind and her emotions, she bustled straight to Rupert and his sofa and told him what more she had done.

"She sends you her love, old boy," she said, hoarse as a man, "and the next time you see her you'll see that blessed ring on her finger. What do think of that, Rupert?"

## BARGAINING FOR LUCY

THE first view I ever had of Farmer Hodges' daughter Lucy she was waiting a stream. Her shoes and stockings she held in her hands and lifted her skirts to her knees. Her hair had fallen down her back, and her straw hat hung from her neck over the hair. She was as pretty a piece of human flesh as I ever saw.

The old man owned a stock farm. Among the animals on it was a bay filly, pretty as a picture, that I very much wanted. That was at the same time I wanted his daughter. He set great store by Lucy, and I knew that it would break him all up to lose her. It's no fool of a job to go to a man and ask him to give up the girl he's raised from babyhood, and I didn't have any fancy for it. I rehearsed all I would say to Farmer Hodges. I would introduce the subject by asking if he would sell the bay filly, praise her to the skies, then offer him a big price for her. This would put him in a good humor, taking advantage of which I would ask him for Lucy.

I parted from Lucy at 10 o'clock on a moonlight night at the gate, it being arranged that I should go up the next evening after supper when her father was smoking his pipe on the porch and then there put in my application. I didn't say anything to Lucy as to my intentions with regard to opening the subject, for when we separated I hadn't thought anything about that. I just told her I was going to brace up and ask for her.

It was a hot evening when I called, and the farmer, instead of sitting on the porch, had put his rocker on the grass before it, where he could get more air. He asked me to have a chair that stood beside him, and I sat down for the hardest job of work I ever did in my life.

"Setting much stock now, Mr. Hodges?" I asked.

"Oh, I get rid of a few animals now and then, but I can't say I'm doing very much."

"Reckon I can take one of 'em off your hands if you and I can agree on a price. I've taken a shine to that little bay filly with one white foot and a white spot on her forehead."

"You mean Lucy, I reckon."

"I was speaking of the bay filly," I stammered, suspecting he had forestalled my real object.

"She's Lucy. I've called her after my daughter. She's a rattlin' fine animal."

"You bet," I hastened to chime in return.

"Kind and gentle as a suckin' dove, no mean tricks about her, easy going, obedient to the ribbons—in fact, she's the best little girl I've got on the place."

"That's just the disposition I want. I wouldn't like any balking or kicking or anything like that. I don't believe in using the whip, but if there's anything vicious I think it ought to be laid on well."

At that moment, looking up, I saw Lucy herself—the real Lucy—at the window. Her father's back was toward her, so he couldn't see her. I faced her. She wore a very peculiar expression. Indeed, she looked mad enough to bite through a nail.

"If you want Lucy," the farmer replied, with the deliberate twang of one selling a horse, "you can have her to try. If you like her you can keep her on any terms satisfactory to you. If you don't like her you can turn her back on me."

"You'll have to excuse me just now," continued the old man. "There comes a man to make a dicker for some of my racin' stock. Do as you please about Lucy."

It was a terrible disappointment to get no further in the matter, or, rather, not to get to the real object of my visit, but a man came in at the gate and the farmer went to meet him. I looked up at the window where my girl had appeared, but she was not there. I waited till there was nobody about, when she came down and, marching right past me, made for the road. I followed and called to her:

"Lucy! For heaven's sake what's the matter?"

"What do you mean by talking so about me?"

"About you?"

"Yes, I heard you. So you're going to apply the whip, are you? Not on me!"

"But, Lucy!"

"And father! What has come over him? To think of his saying that if you don't like me you can turn me back on him!"

I burst out laughing. Catching her about the waist, I kissed away hot tears that were trickling down her cheeks. Then I explained the matter to her and the next day asked for a woman, not a horse.





# WOMAN EXAMINED FOR MURDER ATTACK

Mrs. Krause Is Said to Be  
Adventuress by Vic-  
tim and Husband.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Daisy Turney Krause, wife of Dr. William Krause of Memphis, Tenn., was booked today in Justice Ross's limousine hearing of the charge of shooting Frank H. Griffith, a Los Angeles mining man, several weeks ago. Mrs. Krause is formally charged with shooting a dead woman and attempt to commit murder. She is being held in the County Jail, where she is being examined by a physician. The third bullet, which entered the victim's chest, was fired from a .38 Smith & Wesson revolver. The use of a cheap revolver was the only thing which saved Griffith from serious, if not fatal, injury, the bullet apparently lacking force enough to pierce much damage.

Mrs. Krause claimed that Griffith had deceived her in promising to marry after she had been divorced from her present husband and had secured money from her which he lost in investments. Griffith says these claims are false and that Mrs. Krause is a dangerous adventuress, who attempted to blackmail him for months and finally shot him because he refused to pay her money. Dr. Krause, the young woman's aged husband, is quoted as supporting the statements of Griffith and declaring that his wife is a dangerous woman. Mrs. Krause is 23 years old, petite, pretty and cultured. She has posed as an author of short stories and as a playwright.

# BUILDING FRAUD CASE WILL BE COMPROMISED

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 13.—The Philadelphia for Charles G. Wetters, a former member of the state legislature, today withdrew Wetters's plea rendering certain bills for alterations in the new building and entered a plea of nolle prosequere. This means that the case is dropped in the hands of the court. At the same time the Commonwealth agreed to drop the charge of conspiracy brought against the accused man. The state claims in this particular case it was defrauded of \$14,000 in a bill of \$27,000. After the plea was filed, the case was stopped and the attorneys on both sides announced they will take up the matter of restitution.

**CARUSO'S CONDITION FAIR.**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Dismissing the rumor that Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor, who suffered injuries in the Munich opera house last Tuesday night, at a performance of La Boheme, is improving. One message from Caruso himself reads: "I am much better and legs stiff. It might have been worse. Present health excellent."

**CHILD MYSTERIOUSLY HURT.**  
STOCKTON, Oct. 13.—Mystery surrounds the probable fatal injuries sustained last night by the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins of this city. The child was found on East Main street suffering from a fractured skull and four broken ribs. A man was seen to pick the child from the street and carry him away. The identity of the Hawkins family, but his identity is not known. Whether the infant was struck by a street car, automobile or other vehicle, cannot be learned.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.**  
In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of B. Tufenkian, deceased.  
Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, dated September 19th, 1910, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, to-wit:

That portion of Lots 22 and 23 according to a certain map entitled "Map of Estrella Vineyard survey and plat" filed in the office of the County Recorder of Fresno County, California, being a part of Sec. 3, Township 14 North, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., said portion of said lots being more or less as shown on the map of said survey and plat. Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence South along center of road 89.5 feet to center of Vineyard Avenue; thence East along said center of road 110 feet to the line of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence North along said line to Northeast corner of said Lot 23; thence West to point of beginning.

The sale will be made on or after the 14th day of October, 1910, and bids will be received at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Terms of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States, ten percent of the bid payable at the time of sale and balance upon confirmation of sale by said Court.

Dated: October 6th, 1910.

AVRDIS TUFENKIAN, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of B. Tufenkian, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administrator.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California. In the matter of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at Rooms 360-361 Land Company Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

ELIZABETH DIVELBES, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased.

Geo. C. Wagner, attorney for administrator.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Fresno County Water Company, a corporation, will be held at the office of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the office of the president on the Big Tree block.

**MEETING NOTICE.**  
Annual meeting of stockholders of the Fresno County Water Company, a corporation, will be held at the office of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the office of the president on the Big Tree block.

**NOTICE OF TIME APPOINTED FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.**  
In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of Layman B. Fowler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 24th day of October, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, Department No. 2, of said County of Fresno, in said Court House, in the City of Fresno, in said County of Fresno, has been appointed by the Clerk of said Court, as the time and place for proving the will of said Layman B. Fowler, deceased, and for laying the foundation of said will, for the testimony of said witnesses, and for the testimony of any person interested who may appear and contest the same.

Dated Oct. 13, 1910.

W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Adelle A. Allison, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, George H. Andrews, administrator of the estate of Adelle A. Allison, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator with this in the hands of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: October 6th, 1910.

GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Adelle A. Allison, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administrator.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.**

Elaine Oil Company, a corporation, having its principal place of business located at Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held on the 21st day of September, 1910, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation payable immediately to Herk Hawn, secretary, immediately to the office of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, in the City of Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, October 29th, 1910, will be delinquent and will be sold at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, November 26th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated Fresno, Cal., Sept. 23, 1910.

Secretary of said corporation.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.**

The Liberty Canal Company, a corporation, having its principal place of business located at Fresno, Fresno County, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held on the 24th day of September, 1910, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation payable immediately to the treasurer, Farmers National Bank, Fresno, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on November 12, 1910, will be delinquent and will be sold at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, November 17th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

C. L. ADAMS, Secretary of said Corporation.

Dated Fresno, Cal., September 29, 1910.

**MEETING NOTICE.**

Annual meeting of stockholders of the Madera Electric Water Company, a corporation, will be held at the office of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the office of the president on the Big Tree block.

W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the guardianship of Joseph A. Vador, an incompetent person.

Notice is hereby given that under authority of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, heretofore made and entered in the matter of the guardianship of Joseph A. Vador, an incompetent person, the undersigned guardian of said incompetent person, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder and subject to the confirmation of the said Superior Court, on or after the 17th day of October, 1910, and within six months thereafter, all the real estate interest owned by said Joseph A. Vador, and all the right, title and interest which the said estate has by operation of the law or otherwise acquired to the real estate located in the County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots twenty-five (25) and twenty-six (26) in Block twenty-two (22) of Belmont Addition to the town, section 2, Township 14 North, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., said portion of said lots being more or less as shown on the map of said survey and plat. Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence South along center of road 89.5 feet to center of Vineyard Avenue; thence East along said center of road 110 feet to the line of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence North along said line to Northeast corner of said Lot 23; thence West to point of beginning.

The sale will be made on or after the 14th day of October, 1910, and bids will be received at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, Fresno, Fresno County, State of California.

Terms of sale, cash in gold coin of the United States, ten percent of the bid payable at the time of sale and balance upon confirmation of sale by said Court.

Dated: October 6th, 1910.

AVRDIS TUFENKIAN, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of B. Tufenkian, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, attorneys for administrator.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California. In the matter of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at Rooms 360-361 Land Company Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

ELIZABETH DIVELBES, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased.

Geo. C. Wagner, attorney for administrator.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**

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W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.**

The Liberty Canal Company, a corporation, having its principal place of business located at Fresno, Fresno County, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held on the 24th day of September, 1910, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation payable immediately to the treasurer, Farmers National Bank, Fresno, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on November 12, 1910, will be delinquent and will be sold at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, November 17th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

C. L. ADAMS, Secretary of said Corporation.

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W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.**

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the guardianship of Joseph A. Vador, an incompetent person.

Notice is hereby given that under authority of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, heretofore made and entered in the matter of the guardianship of Joseph A. Vador, an incompetent person, the undersigned guardian of said incompetent person, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder and subject to the confirmation of the said Superior Court, on or after the 17th day of October, 1910, and within six months thereafter, all the real estate interest owned by said Joseph A. Vador, and all the right, title and interest which the said estate has by operation of the law or otherwise acquired to the real estate located in the County of Fresno, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots twenty-five (25) and twenty-six (26) in Block twenty-two (22) of Belmont Addition to the town, section 2, Township 14 North, Range 19 East, M. D. B. & M., said portion of said lots being more or less as shown on the map of said survey and plat. Commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence South along center of road 89.5 feet to center of Vineyard Avenue; thence East along said center of road 110 feet to the line of Lot 22 Estrella Vineyard; thence North along said line to Northeast corner of said Lot 23; thence West to point of beginning.

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Dated: October 6th, 1910.

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W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held on the 24th day of September, 1910, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said corporation payable immediately to the treasurer, Farmers National Bank, Fresno, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on November 12, 1910, will be delinquent and will be sold at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, November 17th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

C. L. ADAMS, Secretary of said Corporation.

Dated Fresno, Cal., September 29, 1910.

**DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE.**  
Fresno-Bank Francisco on the 14th day of principal place of business 924 J St. Higher Building, Fresno, California.  
Notice is hereby given that upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment (No. 14) levied on first day of August, 1910, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

No. 14. Shares Amt.  
Late Jacobson ..... 1000 ..... 1000  
J. H. Edwards ..... 1000 ..... 1000  
Chas. M. Hovey ..... 1000 ..... 1000  
And in accordance with law and order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of August, 1910, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the County Recorder of Fresno, State of California, on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1910, at the hour 10 a. m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

Attest: ALBERT HUNTER, Secy.

Office: 924 J St., Higher Bldg., Fresno, Calif.

**Notice of Postponement of Sale.**

The sale of said delinquent stock has been postponed to Nov. 10th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the office of the above mentioned corporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ALBERT HUNTER, Secy.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

Notice is hereby given that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property and goods and chattels on the second Monday in October (the 10th) and will be delinquent on the last Monday in November next thereafter (the 28th) at six o'clock p. m. and shall be sold at public auction on Monday, April 10, 1911, at six o'clock p. m. and one-half of the amount due and unpaid will be added to the amount due and unpaid.

The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first Monday in January next and will be delinquent on the first Monday in April next, at six o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto, five percent will be added to the amount due and unpaid.

All taxes may be paid at the time of the installment, as above, is due and payable.

Taxes are payable in the office of the Tax Collector, in the County Court House, Fresno, Cal.

A. R. SMITH, Tax Collector.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.**

The Reed Ditch Company, a corporation, having its principal place of business located at Fresno, Fresno County, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company, held on the 24th day of September, 1910, an assessment of one (1) cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of the said corporation, payable immediately to the treasurer, the Fresno National Bank, at Fresno, Fresno County, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, October 29th, 1910, will be delinquent and will be sold at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, November 26th, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated Fresno, Cal., Sept. 23, 1910.

Secretary of said corporation.

**NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.**

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C. L. ADAMS, Secretary of said Corporation.

Dated Fresno, Cal., September 29, 1910.

**MEETING NOTICE.**

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W. O. MILES, Clerk.

Frank H. Fowler, attorney for petitioner.

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In the matter of the guardianship of Joseph A. Vador, an incompetent person.

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Dated: October 6th, 1910.

AVRDIS TUFENKIAN, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of B. Tufenkian, deceased.

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ELIZABETH DIVELBES, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William T. Bell, deceased.

Geo. C. Wagner, attorney for administrator.

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W. O. MILES, Clerk.

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C. L. ADAMS, Secretary of said Corporation.

Dated Fresno, Cal., September 29, 1910.





